Welcome to NC State!

As your Orientation Leaders (OLs), we want you to know how excited we are that you decided to join our family and start your journey as part of the Wolfpack! Take it from us, the next years of your life as an NC State student are going to be memorable, challenging, and incredibly rewarding.

The Orientation Leader team is here to help you navigate your way to a successful start. Each of us had an experience as a new student at NC State and know what it’s like to come into such a large community. NC State may feel overwhelming at first, but we have each made this place our home and can help you do the same.

It’s important that you make the most of your Orientation experience so that you walk away feeling prepared and excited to begin your journey at NC State. We’re here to help you do that, but it starts with you! Our advice is to ask lots of questions, reach out to other new students, and start making your bucket list of what you want to experience and accomplish over the next four years.

Above all, we want you to know that we decided to be Orientation Leaders because we love this University. We love the Belltower, we wear red on Fridays, and we sing the Red and White Song loudly and proudly! Get ready to Think and Do, and congratulations on your decision to join the Pack!

Get Connected at Orientation

Follow New Student Programs and use the hashtag #NCState26 on Twitter and Instagram!

@NCStateNSP

Need Assistance?

If you need to reach a family member attending Family Orientation during the program, please contact our office for assistance during business hours (8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday - Friday) at 919.515.1234.

If there is an after-hours emergency, please contact NC State University Police Department at 919.515.3000.

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New Student Checklist

By NOT completing the following steps, a hold could be placed on your account or your fall semester schedule could be dropped:

- **Pay Your Bill**
  - Fall semester tuition and fees are due July 27, 2022. Learn more about payment options and parental access for bill payment at studentservices.ncsu.edu.

- **Submit Final Transcripts**
  - Students must provide NC State with final transcripts of their academic coursework from their previous institutions.
  - Mail to: NC State Office of Undergraduate Admissions, Campus Box 7103, Raleigh, NC 27695-7103

- **Update Your Contact Information**
  - Update your phone and address information with the university via MyPack Portal. Once you’ve logged in, go to Student Homepage > Personal Information > Addresses or Contact Details.
  - Sign up to receive WolfAlert emergency text messages by adding your cell number.
  - www.ncsu.edu/emergency-information/textsignup

- **Check Your Email Frequently**
  - Step 1 to being successful at NC State is getting informed and connected. Your NC State email is the university’s official mode of communication with you, so get in the habit of checking it every day.
  - https://google.ncsu.edu

- **Finalize Your Fall Schedule**
  - If you have additional questions, contact your academic advisor.
  - Do not drop any courses that were pre-planned for you without contacting an advisor first.
  - https://mypack.ncsu.edu

- **Solidify Your Meal Plan**
  - Decide which meal plan option is best for you. You have until September 12, 2022 to make changes to your fall semester meal plan.
  - go.ncsu.edu/MealPlans

- **Student Health Services Checklist**
  - **Insurance** - Enroll into or waive out of the Student Health Insurance Plan by September 10, 2022. Visit bcbnc.com/ncsu
  - **Immunizations** - Complete all required immunizations and upload to the Healthy Pack Portal https://sso.medicatconnect.com
  - **TB Questionnaire** - Complete the TB questionnaire online via HealthyPackPortal
  - **Health History** - Complete the Health History Form online via HealthyPackPortal
  - **Prescription Medications** - Transfer your prescriptions to Student Health Pharmacy by calling 919.515.5040
  - **Get a Flu Shot** - Get your flu shot at one of our clinics on campus (September - January)
    - healthypack.dasa.ncsu.edu

- **Prepare for Move-In Weekend**
  - If you will be living on campus, visit the University Housing website at housing.ncsu.edu for everything you need to know about moving into your residence hall.
  - Move-In Dates: Thursday, August 18 - Sunday, August 21, 2022 before classes begin on Monday, August 22.

- **Order Your Textbooks**
  - Visit shop.ncsu.edu/adoption-search to order books directly from NC State Bookstores or use their “Price Comparison Shopping Tool” to explore all of your options.

- **Complete Mandatory Online Education**
  - All incoming students are required to complete four online education modules prior to the beginning of the fall semester.
  - Visit the website below for more information and deadlines for completion.
  - go.ncsu.edu/required-ed

Visit our website for more go.ncsu.edu/NewStudentChecklist

Download the Orientation Mobile Schedule

1. Search for and download the app ‘NC State University Guides’ from your favorite app store
2. Open the app and search for ‘2022 New Students’
3. Customize your Orientation experience

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Stop by the Wolfpack One Card Office (main level lobby), whether you uploaded your photo online or plan to take a photo in-person, with a government-issued ID during one of the following times to get your Wolfpack One Card student ID:

- After you check in to Orientation
- With your Orientation group during Lunch
- When you return to campus in August
**Taking Care of Business** If needed, submit verification forms to Scholarships and Financial Aid (#10 on back cover map).

**Need a Pick-Me-Up?** Grab some coffee or a snack from Talley Market or Port City Java.

**Explore Campus** Check out the NC State sights around campus. Feel free to use the campus map provided on the back cover and visit some of NC State’s most iconic spots like the University Plaza (commonly known as ‘The Brickyard’).

**Questions?** Stop by our Information Tables in Talley Student Union and Witherspoon Student Center to speak with a New Student Programs staff member.
Day One Schedule

8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. **Check-In** Lee Residence Hall, Lobby *(with family)*
Arrive at the table to gather your materials for the day, and follow the “What’s Next” instructions!

9:00 a.m. to 9:25 a.m. **Orientation Welcome** Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre *(3rd floor)* *(with family)*
Get excited to be a part of the Pack and learn NC State traditions to start your Orientation experience.

9:30 a.m. to 10:10 a.m. **Meet Your Orientation Small Group** Various Locations
Meet your Orientation Leader and hear their perspective as a current student while getting to know other students in your group. You can find your OL group number on the lower right corner of your nametag.

10:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. **Learning to Howl: Transitioning to NC State** Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom *(3rd Floor)*
Starting your journey at NC State will be filled with opportunities, connections, and at times, challenges. Learn more about healthy transitioning, developing resilience, and overall emotional awareness. Also learn about the Counseling Center and other campus resources that support wellness development.

10:45 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. **Connect & Engage with the Pack** Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom *(3rd floor)*
NC State offers exciting ways to engage outside of the classroom. Each of these activities can connect you with valuable experiences and provide career-ready skills. This session will introduce you to Student Leadership and Engagement and some tips for navigating how to get involved during your first semester. The opportunities are limitless!

11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. **Lunch** Fountain Dining Hall
Use the meal ticket you received at check-in for admission into the dining hall. Should your family need to purchase additional meal tickets, you may do so at the door using a credit/debit card.

12:10 p.m. to 12:50 p.m. **Information Fair** Talley Student Union, James H. Woodward Student Involvement Center *(4th floor)*
Visit the Information Fair to learn about involvement opportunities and to receive information about campus services and resources.

12:55 p.m. to 1:25 p.m. **Academic Success 101** Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre *(3rd floor)*
Learn about the nuts and bolts of academics at NC State, including the General Education Program, campus resources, and the role of your academic advisor.

1:30 p.m. to 2:15 p.m. **University Honors and Scholars Program Meeting** Talley Student Union, Room 4280 *(with family)*
A mandatory meeting for students accepted into the University Honors and Scholars Program.

1:30 p.m. to 1:50 p.m. **High Impact Experiences #1** *(with family)*
- Career Development  
  Talley Student Union, Hatteras-Ocracoke *(3rd floor)*
- Leadership and Civic Engagement  
  Talley Student Union, Room 3285

**Denotes Required Session**

Have your Wolfpack One Card photo taken

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High Impact Experiences #1 (with family)
- Study Abroad  
  Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre *(3rd floor)*
- Undergraduate Research  
  Talley Student Union, Currituck *(3rd floor)*
1:55 p.m. to 2:15 p.m.  
**High Impact Experiences Session #2** (with family)  
Career Development  
*Talley Student Union, Hatteras-Ocracoke (3rd floor)*  
Leadership and Civic Engagement  
*Talley Student Union, Room 3288*

2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
**College Welcome and Academic Information** Various Locations (with family)  
College representatives will provide information on advising, course requirements, and what you can expect from your new academic home.

**Agricultural Institute** (July 18)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**College of Agriculture and Life Sciences** (July 13 & 14)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**College of Design** (June 15)  
*Talley Student Union, Mountains-Piedmont (3rd floor)*  
**College of Education** (June 15)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**College of Engineering** (July 19, 20, 21, 25, 26, 27, & 28)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**College of Humanities and Social Sciences** (July 6 & 7)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**College of Natural Resources** (June 14)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**College of Sciences** (June 16)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**Wilson College of Textiles** (June 27)  
*Talley Student Union, Mountains-Piedmont (3rd floor)*  
**Exploratory Studies** (June 21, 22, 27, 28, & 29)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**Life Sciences First Year Program** (July 11 & 12)  
*Talley Student Union, Stewart Theatre (3rd floor)*  
**Poole College of Management** (June 21, 22, & July 18)  
*Talley Student Union, Mountains-Piedmont (3rd floor)*

### Locations will be different for the Summer Start session

4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
**Music Involvement Drop-In** Price Music Center  
Department of Music representatives will be available for those who have questions regarding auditions, music courses, or music ensemble participation including choirs, orchestras, jazz bands, concert bands, and athletic bands.

5:30 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.  
**Dinner** Fountain Dining Hall  
Your dinner ticket can be found in your nametag holder. Dinner at Fountain is not included for family members but is available for purchase at the door.

7:00 p.m. to 8:35 p.m.  
**imPACKt Your Community** Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)  
Let’s take time to explore our community expectations and how the Class of 2026 can have a positive imPACKt on campus. This session includes:  
» Interpersonal Violence Prevention Information  
» Pack Pride Reader’s Theatre  
» Orientation Small Group Discussion

### Advisor Contact Information:

Name: ________________________  
Email: ________________________  
Phone: ________________________

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Whether your family is eating with you or trying a restaurant off campus, be sure to touch base with them and make a plan for meeting in the morning. After checking out of University Housing in the morning, you will need to store your luggage in a car before the first session at 9:00 a.m.
Day One Schedule cont.

8:35 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
**#NCState26 Showdown**  
*Talley Student Union, Coastal Ballroom (3rd floor)*  
Learn about campus traditions and what it feels like to be part of the Wolfpack from some of your peers!

9:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.  
**Out-of-State Student Meeting**  
*Talley Student Union, Room 3285*  
Get advice from out-of-state OLs about the transition to North Carolina and meet other students.

9:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.  
**Late Night with Wellness and Recreation**  
*Carmichael Complex*  
Relax, recharge, and connect with your new classmates. Join Wellness and Recreation and choose your own adventure. Play knockout or spikeball, explore the Carmichael Gym, or relax with board games and crafts with the Wolfpack family. **Nametag is required for participation.**

Until 11:00 p.m.  
**Lee Residence Hall Help Desk**  
*Lee Residence Hall, Lobby*  
If you need assistance after 11:00 p.m., please call the on-call numbers listed by the Lee Residence Hall Help Desk. If you need emergency assistance, please contact NC State University Police Department at 919.515.3000.

Download These Apps

Wolfpack Welcome Week Mobile Schedule

- Search for and download the app ‘NC State University Guides’ from your favorite app store
- Open the app and search for ‘2022 Wolfpack Welcome Week’
- Create your custom schedule

Navigate NC State

- Go to the Google Play or Apple App Store and search for “Navigate Student”
- Open the app and select “NC State University” as your school
- Log in with your unity ID and password
- View your course schedule, find class locations, and create study groups
Day Two Schedule

8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. **Breakfast** 
*Fountain Dining Hall*
Your breakfast ticket can be found in your nametag holder.

8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. **Housing Check-Out** 
*Lee Residence Hall*
Students staying in Lee Residence Hall MUST return room and suite keys to University Housing.

9:00 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. **Staying Safe at NC State** 
*Witherspoon Student Center, Campus Cinema*
Get to know the NC State University Police Department and hear about beneficial safety tips and resources.

9:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. **Technology on Campus** 
*Witherspoon Student Center, Campus Cinema*
Learn about the IT accounts and services available to student and families, and hear about the importance of security for campus accounts, hardware, and mobile devices.

Ask your OL if you are Schedule A or Schedule B

- **SCHEDULE A**

  9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. **Continued College Activities**
  *Your OL will escort your group to your college’s location*
  This time will include various activities based on your college.

  10:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. **Campus Tour with Your Small Group**
  *Your OL will escort you to this session*
  Enjoy a tour of campus with your Orientation Leader, where they will introduce you to campus and talk about being a part of the Wolfpack!

- **SCHEDULE B**

  11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. **University Housing Showrooms**
  *Lee Residence Hall, Room 106*
  Stop by to see a model residence hall room and get ideas for how to deck out your space.

Family Orientation Schedule At-A-Glance

**Day One**

- 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. Family Check-In | *Lee Residence Hall*
- 9:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m. Orientation Welcome and Family Presentations | *Talley Student Union*
- 11:50 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. Lunch | *Fountain Dining Hall*
- 12:55 p.m. to 1:25 p.m. Information Fair | *James H. Woodward Student Involvement Center*
- 1:30 p.m. to 2:15 p.m. Student Engagement Sessions | *Talley Student Union*
- 2:30 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. College Welcome | *Talley Student Union*
- 4:05 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. Orientation Presentations | *Talley Student Union*
- 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Dinner | *Fountain Dining Hall (optional)*
- 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wolfpack Family Social | *One Earth Lounge (optional)*

**Day Two**

- 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Choice Sessions | *Witherspoon Student Center*
- 9:40 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Orientation Presentations | *Witherspoon Student Center*

**Meeting Your Family After Orientation**

If you have not made arrangements to meet your family after your Day 2 activities, students and families are encouraged to meet at Witherspoon Student Center.
As part of the Common Experience, first-year students have the opportunity to engage with the CliftonStrengths for Students tool.

go.ncsu.edu/common-experience

Encouraged to complete by Thursday, August 18, 2022

- Ease your transition to the university with CliftonStrengths for Students
- Identify and better understand your strengths
- Learn how investing in your natural talents can help your ongoing success
- Visit the website for more information and instructions
- Look out for more opportunities during the fall semester to engage with your strengths

Ask your OL about their top strength!

Wolfpack Welcome Week

Thursday, August 18 - Saturday, August 27, 2022

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- Make new friends while learning more about NC State
- Explore exciting ways to engage in and outside of the classroom
- Celebrate the start of the academic year with one of our signature events, Packapalooza™
- Download the NC State Guides app to check out the full schedule (page 8). For an individualized experience, reference the seven interest categories below

Connect on Campus

- Get Involved Portal Find and join organizations and discover upcoming events for NC State students: getinvolved.ncsu.edu
Information for Students

Important Fall Semester Dates

New Student Convocation

New Student Convocation is the opportunity for first-year students to kick off the academic year with 5,000 of your fellow classmates, faculty, and staff while hearing from Chancellor Woodson and the Student Body President and participating in the Class of 2026 photo.

Parents and Families Weekend

Parents and Families Weekend provides parents, families, and students the opportunity to celebrate some of NC State’s richest traditions together. Visit parents.ncsu.edu for more information.

Red and White Week

Every fall, we gather the Wolfpack for NC State’s biggest celebration. Red and White Week is a yearly homecoming celebration of NC State and the entire Wolfpack community – alumni, students, staff, faculty, donors, parents, families, partners and friends. Visit redwhiteweek.ncsu.edu for a comprehensive schedule.
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